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Magisterial District Number 05-0-03

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POLICE CRIMINAL COMPLAINT COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA

VS.

CHRISTIAN

(NAME and ADDRESS):

KESHEAN BEY

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The acts committed by the accused are described below with each Act of Assembly or statute allegedly violated, if appropriate. When there is more than one offense, each offense should be numbered chronologically. (Set forth a brief summary of the facts sufficient to advise the defendant of the nature of the offense(s) charged. A citation to the statute(s) allegedly violated, without more, its not sufficient. In a summary case, you must cite the specific section(s) and subsection(s) of the statute(s) or ordinance(s) allegedly violated. In addition, social security numbers and financial information (e.g. PINS) should not be listed. If the identity of an account must be established, list only the last four digits 204 PA.Code §§213.1 – 213.7.)

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- I ask that a warrant of arrest or a summons be issued and that the defendant be required to answer the charges I have made.
- 3. I verify that the facts set forth in this complaint are true and correct to the best of my knowledge or information and belief. This verification is made subject to the penalties of Section 4904 of the Crimes Code (18 PA.C.S.§4904) relating to unsworm falsification to authorities.
- 4. This complaint is comprised of the preceding page(s) numbered through
- 5. I certify that this filing complies with the provisions of the Case Records Public Access Policy of the Unified Judicial System of Pennsylvania that require filing confidential information and documents differently than non-confidential information and documents.

The acts committed by the accused, as listed and hereafter, were against the peace and dignity of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and were contrary to the Act(s) of the Assembly, or in violation of the statutes cited.

(Before a warrant of arrest can be Issued, an affidavit of probable cause must be completed, sworn to before the issuing authority, and attached.)

(Date)

AND NOW, on this date

An affidavit of probable cause must be completed before a warrant can be issued.

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(Signature of Affiant)

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AFFIDAVIT of PROBABLE CAUSE

1. <u>WHEN:</u>

a) Date when Affiant received information:

7/14/2019

b) Date when the source of information (Police Officers, Informant, Victim, Co-Defendant, Defendant, etc.) received information:

7/19/2019

2. HOW:

How Affiant knows this particular person committed crime: (personal observation, defendant's admissions, etc.):
 Information received from eyewitnesses

b) How the source of information knows this particular person committed the crime:

Personal Observation

e) How both Affiant and/or source of information knows that a particular crime has been committed: Information Received and Personal Observation.

3. WHAT CRIMES:

18 2501 A CRIMINAL HOMICIDE

18 6105 A1 PERSONS NOT TO POSSESS, USE, MANUFACTURE, CONTROL, SELL OR TRANSFER FIREARMS

18 6106 A1 CARRYING FIREARM WITHOUT A LICENSE

18 6110 2 A POSSESSION OF A FIREARM WITH AN ALTERED MANUFACTURERS NUMBER

4. WHERE CRIME(S) COMMITTED:

7300 BLOCK OF MONTICELLO STREET

5. WHY AFFLANT BELIEVES THE SOURCE OF INFORMATION:

X Source is presumed reliable, i.e. other Police Officer, Eyewitness, Victim of Crime, etc.

Source has given information in the past which has led to arrest and/or conviction

Defendant's reputation for criminal activity

This source made declaration against his/her penal interest to the above offense

X Affiant and/or other Police Officers corroborated details of the information



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Your Affiants Detectives James McGee and Robert Provident are law enforcement officers of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania within the meaning of section 5702 of the Pennsylvania Crimes Code and, as such, are empowered to make arrests for criminal offenses enumerated therein. All of the information contained in this affidavit was learned directly by your affiants, or was communicated to them by other law enforcement officers.

Your Affiant, Robert Provident, has been a police officer within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania since April of 1988 and a Detective with the Pittsburgh Police since May of 1989. Currently and for the past ten years, Affiant, Robert Provident has been assigned to the Pittsburgh Police Bureau's VCU/Homicide Unit.

Affiant James McGee has been a police officer within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania since January of 1988, and a Detective with the Pittsburgh Bureau of Police since October of 1994, currently and for the past twenty two years, your Affiant, James McGee has been assigned to the Pittsburgh Police Bureau's VCU/Homicide Unit.

Your Affiants have a combined total of 64 years of law enforcement experience. During their tenure as Detectives, your Affiants have attended numerous training seminars in regard to the investigations and prosecution of crimes involving both juvenile and adult offenders of violent offenses.

On 07/14/2019 at approximately 0134 hours, Zone 5 Officer Phillip Szalla, along with other Zone 5 units, were dispatched to 7331 Monticello Street for a Shot Spotter alert.

Shot Spotter is an advanced system of sensors, algorithms and artificial intelligence to detect, locate and alert police to gunfire. If at least three sensors detect a pulse that is believed to be a gunshot, the sensor then sends a small data packet to cloud servers where multi-lateration is used based on time difference of arrival and angle of arrival of the sound to determine a precise location. (Information retrieved from https://www.shotspotter.com/technology/).

Upon Officer Szalla's arrival of the 7300 block of Monticello, he was flagged down by several pedestrians and immediately observed a male down in front of 7338 Monticello. Officer Szalla made contact with the victim, who was later identified as off-duty Pittsburgh Police Officer Calvin Hall. Victim Officer Hall suffered multiple gunshot wounds to trunk area and was unresponsive. Victim Hall was transported to UPMC Presbyterian Hospital where he succumbed to his injuries on 07/17/2019.

On Thursday, July 18, 2019, a post-mortem examination was completed by Dr. Ennis at the Office of the Allegheny County Medical Examiner. Dr Ennis stated that Calvin Hall died as a result of gunshot wounds to the back and ruled the manner of death as homicide.

Mobile Crime Unit Sergeant Kelly Knerr and Detective Nicole Raspinski responded to the scene for photographing, evidence collection, and scene processing. One fired bullet and three 45 Auto WW shell casings were photographed and recovered from the scene.

During the course of this investigation, your affiants located and identified four witnesses, who are known to your affiants, but are unnamed in this affidavit, both to protect them against reprisal and to preserve the integrity of this ongoing investigation. The true identity of the known, but unnamed witnesses, has been verified by your affiants by proof positive identification, and has been memorialized in a report and maintained by your affiants. These individuals will be hereinafter referred to as Witness #1, Witness #2, Witness #3 and Witness #4.

Throughout the course of this investigation, it was learned that there was a block party in the 7300 block of Monticello Street. Two women, identified as Stacy Gibson and Crystal Roberson, who reside at 7327 Monticello Street, along with Damika Williams and



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Jasmine Bey, came out of 7327 Monticello Street and confronted Witness #4. During this confrontation, Witness #4 stated that he/she called his/her cousin, off duty Pittsburgh Police Officer Calvin Hall to come to his/her house and help him/her with this situation.

Witness #1, who is the spouse of Witness #4, stated that the victim arrived at the 7300 block of Monticello Street and asked the four women what is going on. At this time, the four women began arguing with the victim. During the argument, the victim walked away from the women and then returned in an attempt to apologize to women. Witness #4 approached the group and attempted to mediate the conflict. Witness #1 then stated that He/she heard three gunshots go off. Officer Hall fell to the ground with Witness #4.

Detectives also learned, throughout the course of this investigation, that Victim Hall was in the area of the party prior to the altercation where he was shot. While there, he decided to leave. According to Witness #1, as Victim Hall began to leave, Stacey Gibson, who was intoxicated, sat down in the middle of the street blocking the street thereby prohibiting Victim Hall from leaving. Witness #1 stated that Victim Hall exited his vehicle to get Stacey Gibson to get out of the roadway. While Hall was attempting to get Stacey Gibson out of the roadway. Witness #1 observed Christian Bey, the son of Crystal Roberson, arguing with Victim Hall. Ultimately, Victim Hall was able to leave Monticello Street.

Witness #1 stated that when Victim Hall returned after being summoned by Witness #4, there was a group of people in the street, to include Witnesses #1 and #4, Victim Hall, Crystal Roberson, Stacey Gibson, Damika Williams, and Jasmine Bey The aforementioned individuals were all huddled in the street. Notably, Christian Bey was not there at the time.

In this huddle, Witness #1 stated that Victim Hall apologized to the other persons involved, in the event that he had offended anyone because of the misunderstanding. Stacey Gibson responded, "He can shove his apology up his pussy".

Witness #1 stated while they were all standing together shots rang out and Victim Hall was struck. These shots came in close proximity of the group. During the shooting, Victim Hall and Witness #4 fell to the ground.

Witness #1 knows Christian Bey as Crystal Roberson's son. Witness #1 indicated that he/she has had hundreds of interactions with Christian Bey. He/She was shown a single photo of a male who he/she immediately identified as Christian Bey. Witness #1 signed and dated the photo.

On 07/15/2019, Detective Tracy and Sgt. Cole reviewed City of Pittsburgh Genetec Camera footage of cameras in the area of the crime scene. During the review, they observed a male fleeing the area of the scene of the shooting. This footage was captured by a camera located on Brushton Avenue facing inbound on Hermitage Street. The male in the footage was walking with a unique gait, which can only be described as a distinct limp.

Witness #1 viewed footage from the aforementioned city cameras with Detective Failert. This footage was from the intersection of Hermitage Street and Brushton Avenue, which is located approximately two to three blocks away from the scene of the shooting. A male is seen fleeing from the area of the shooting at 0135 hours. Witness #1 was able to positively identify this male as Christian Bey

Based on the recovery of this footage, Officer Hartung and his K9 partner Edo were requested to respond to the area. K9 Edo is known to be trained in the detection of explosives. On 07/15/2019 at approximately 1445 hours, Officer Hartung met up with Detectives Fallert and Tracy and Sergeant Cole. Detective Fallert requested/directed Officer Hartung to return to the scene of the incident to conduct a gun search based on information gathered in the investigation.



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At approximately 1520 hours, the K9 team began a firearms search from the rear of 7333 Monticello Street. At approximately 1530 hours, K9 Edo alerted/indicated on an article in the rear of 7340 Hermitage Street. On closer look of where Edo was standing, Detectives/Officer/Sergeant located/recovered an Interarms .45 caliber ACP Pistol (with an obliterated serial number, unable to be read) The firearm was found with the hammer cocked back. The firearm was located in the yard of an abandoned house off of Fletcher way. Fletcher way is an alleyway that runs immediately parallel to Monticello Street. It should be noted that the firearm was recovered approximately 1/2 block away from the scene of the shooting and in the direction that Christian Bey was described as running. Further the firearm was recovered approximately 1 1/2 blocks away from the camera on which Christian Bey was identified by Witness #1 a minute and half after the shooting.

The Interarms 45 caliber firearm was transported to the CSU lab and processed for DNA collection, and latent prints. Sergeant Knerr found the firearm to be a .45 caliber firearm, Serial# OBLITERATED, with one 45 AUTO W-W live round in the chamber and magazine loaded with two 45 AUTO W-W live rounds. These head stamps on the 45 caliber ammunition contained within the firearm recovered match the 45 caliber ammunition located on the shell casing recovered on scene. The firearm and DNA evidence was packaged and submitted to the Allegheny County Crime Lab for further evaluation at 19LAB05471

The of Allegheny County Crime Lab confirmed that the shell casing recovered on scene were determined to have come from the firearm that was recovered by K9 Edo and Officer Hartung on 07/15/2019.

Detective Shaw interviewed Witness #4. He/She stated that Christian Bey was the only person in the street after the shooting and described Bey as "hustling" away from the scene. Witness #4 informed Detective Shaw that he/she had observed Christian Bey with a large 45 caliber firearm on the past New Year's (12/31/2018-01/01/2019). Detective Shaw showed Witness #4 a picture of the firearm recovered by K9 Edo and Officer Hartung. Witness #4 stated that this resembled the firearm that he/she saw Bey with on this past New Years

On July 15, 2019 Witness #2 arrived at headquarters and was interviewed by Det. James McGee. During this interview Witness #2 stated that he/she was in the 7300 block of Monticello Street and was in close proximity to a group of people that were engaged in an argument in the middle of the street in front of 7331 Monticello Street, when Victim Hall was shot. At this time, Witness #2 observed a black male come from between the homes next to 7331 Monticello Street and pace back and forth, then this person ran down a small grade and was standing in close proximity behind the victim. Witness #2 stated within seconds of this male coming up behind the victim, he/she observed muzzle flashes and heard multiple shots being fired. The witness observed the victim fall to the ground and the black male immediately turn and run back between the houses. This direction would lead to Fletcher Way behind 7331 Monticello Street.

Witness #2 was provided with a photo array consisting of eight computer generated J-Net photos of eight black males with similar characteristics. Witness #2 picked out photo #4 identifying Christian Bey, DOB 10/14/1988, SS# 165-70-0196, SID# 29747491 Witness #2 Stated that he/she would give the photo in position #4 an eight out of ten for resembling the person that he/she had seen and fitting the physical description that he/she provided to Det. McGee. At this time the Witness #2 said if he/she would see this individual in person he/she said he/she would recognize him.

On July 17, 2019, Witness #2 agreed to come into the Homicide Office to view a video of a possible suspect walking up Hermitage Street in the early morning hours of July 14, 2019. The witness viewed this video and informed detectives that the individual in the video has the same clothing (dressed in black), physical characteristics, short hair style, and skin complexion as the person he/she observed in front of 7331 Monticello Street. During the witness's interview, he/she informed detectives that he/she was in the area of the 7300 Block of Monticello Street in the days after Victim Hall's shooting. While at this location he/she observed a black male pull up across the street from his/her location. The witness stated he/she observed an individual exit a black Dodge



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SUV and begin to remove a car seat. The witness stated that he/she immediately recognized this person as the individual that he/she observed walk up behind Victim Hall the night he was shot, then retreat back between 7331 Monticello Street. He/She identified this individual as the same person he/she had previously identified and given an 8 out of 10. He/she stated that he/she was a hundred and ten percent certain it was that person having seen them in person again. Witness #2's statement was audio/video recorded

On July 17, 2019 Detectives O'Neil and Bielevicz spoke with Witness #3, who informed detectives that he/she observed a group of people arguing out in front of 7331 Monticello Street. He/she next observed a black male dressed in all black clothing run up behind Officer Hall and fire three shots at him. The witness stated that he/she did not see a firearm, but did observe the muzzle flashes behind Victim Hall and then observed him fall to the ground. He/she stated it appeared that he specifically targeted Victim Hall. After the shooter fired the three shots he immediately turned and ran back between the homes towards Fletcher Way. Witness #3's statement was then audio recorded. Detectives also learned that Witness #3 was audio and video recorded by Zone Five Officers during their initial response to the scene and his/her response was consistent during both interviews.

A check of Christian Bey, DOB 10/14/1988, showed that he did not have a concealed carry permit nor was he was allowed by law to be in possession of a firearm. Bey was found to have entered a plea of guilty to Possession with the Intent to Deliver a Controlled Substance in front of the Honorable Judge Jill Rangos on September 2, 2011 OTN G156426-1

Your affiant respectfully requested that this arrest warrant be sealed. It is necessary to seal this document because the information contained within are relevant to an ongoing investigation into criminal activity involving the incidents. Premature disclosure of the contents of this affidavit could alert the actor, and his associates, who have been involved with the aforementioned acts and compromise the government's on-going investigation severely. Based on my training and experience, I have learned that criminals actively search for criminal affidavits and search warrants via the internet, and disseminate them to other criminals as they deem appropriate. Premature disclosure of the contents of this affidavit and related documents may have a significant and negative impact on the continuing investigation and may severely jeopardize its effectiveness.



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I CERTIFY THAT THIS FILING COMPLIES WITH THE PROVISIONS OF THE CASE RECORDS PUBLIC ACCESS POLICY OF THE UNIFIED JUDICIAL SYSTEM OF PENNSYLVANIA THAT REQUIRE FILING CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS DIFFERENTLY THAN NON-CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTS.
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